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TO AMEMBASSY CANBERRA  
AMEMBASSY JAKARTA

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SHUM, PFOR, AS, ID

SUBJECT: SITUATION IN TIMOR

1. AT SECRETARY'S MARCH 16 RECEPTION FOR EA CHIEFS OF MISSION, AUSTRALIAN AMBASSADOR RENOUF WAS INSTRUMENTAL AND EXTREMELY HELPFUL IN DRAWING OUT INDONESIAN CHARGE ZAHIR ARIFIN WITH REGARD TO SITUATION IN TIMOR. IN CONVERSATION WITH DEPUTY SECRETARY, AND HUMAN RIGHTS COORDINATOR DERRIAN, ARIFIN (WITH RENOUF'S HELP) TOOK PAINS TO DETAIL SITUATION IN TIMOR AND COUNTER ALLEGATIONS PUT FORWARD BY AUSTRALIAN JAMES DUNN.

2. RENOUF IS EXTREMELY CONCERNED ABOUT POSSIBLE EFFECT OF DUNN'S TESTIMONY ON BOTH US-INDONESIAN AND AUSTRALIAN-INDONESIAN RELATIONS. HIS EFFORTS WITH ARIFIN HAVE HELPED SHED A LITTLE LIGHT ON DUNN AND THE TIMOR PROBLEM.

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